America to St. Kitts and Nevis, and as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Grenada.

## Martin S. Indyk,

of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Israel.

#### Isabelle Leeds,

of New York, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the 49th Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

## Bismarck Myrick,

of Virginia, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Kingdom of Lesotho.

## Philip C. Wilcox, Jr.,

of Maryland, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Minister-Counselor, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Coordinator for Counter Terrorism

## Jacquelyn L. Williams-Bridgers,

of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of State, vice Sherman M. Funk, resigned.

#### Frank G. Wisner.

of the District of Columbia, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Career Minister, for the personal rank of Career Ambassador in recognition of especially distinguished service over a sustained period.

## Submitted January 11

## Sandra L. Lynch,

of Massachusetts, to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the First Circuit, vice Stephen G. Breyer, elevated.

## David Folsom,

of Texas, to be U.S. District Judge for the Eastern District of Texas, vice Sam B. Hall, Jr., deceased.

### Thadd Heartfield,

of Texas, to be U.S. District Judge for the Eastern District of Texas, vice Robert M. Parker, elevated.

# John D. Snodgrass,

of Alabama, to be U.S. District Judge for the Northern District of Alabama, vice E.B. Haltom, Jr., retired.

#### Sidney H. Stein,

of New York, to be U.S. District Judge for the Southern District of New York, vice Pierre N. Leval, elevated.

# Lacy H. Thornburg,

of North Carolina, to be U.S. District Judge for the Western District of North Carolina, vice Robert D. Potter, retired.

# **Checklist** of White House Press Releases

The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

## Released January 9

Announcement on release of funds for earthquake assistance to California

# Released January 10

Statement by Press Secretary Mike McCurry on the President's invitation to President Mircea Snegur of the Republic of Moldova to a meeting on January 30

Statement by Press Secretary Mike McCurry on the President's planned state visit to Canada on February 23–24

Transcript of a press briefing by Labor Secretary Robert Reich and Secretary of Education Richard Riley on the middle class bill of rights

## Released January 11

Statement by Press Secretary Mike McCurry on the planned White House Conference on Trade and Investment in Ireland on May 18– 19 Transcript of a press briefing by Ambassador Walter Mondale, Deputy Assistant to the President for Economic Policy Bo Cutter, and Senior Director for Asian Affairs Stanley Roth on the President's meeting with Prime Minister Tomiichi Murayama of Japan

Transcript of a press briefing by Education Secretary Richard Riley, Secretary of Commerce Ron Brown, Housing and Urban Development Secretary Henry Cisneros on the middle class bill of rights

Text of a report to the President and Prime Minister Murayama of Japan entitled, "Common Agenda for Cooperation in Global Perspective"

## Released January 12

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Mike McCurry

Transcript of a press briefing by Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency James Lee Witt on the flooding in California

Listing of Democratic freshmen Members of Congress meeting with the President

Listing of retired military officers at a luncheon meeting with the President

Announcement of the President's intention to nominate Lawrence Harrington to be Alternate Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank

# Released January 13

White House statement on the White House Conference on Trade and Investment in Central and Eastern Europe

White House statement on Ex-Im Banks expansion of programs with Central and Eastern Europe

# Acts Approved by the President

NOTE: No acts approved by the President were received by the Office of the Federal Register during the period covered by this issue.